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Docket Number (Optional)  
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In re Application of  
Milan S. BLAKE et al.

Application Number  
10/677,496

Filed  
October 3, 2003

For  
IMPROVED METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF BACTERIAL  
TOXINS

Group Art Unit  
1648

Examiner  
Z. Lucas

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b))

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is:

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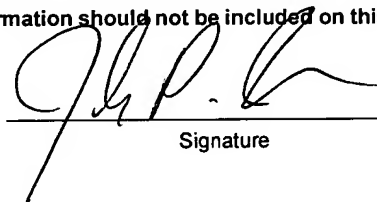
☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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